

LOCAL BRIEFS

Is your subscription paid?

George Jobs of Cincinnati was a visitor here Friday.

Charles Ketrow of Ansonia was a visitor here Saturday.

George Williams and family are enjoying a visit in Michigan.

David Minnich of Union City was in Greenville on business Friday.

George Freymuth of Rossburg was a visitor in Greenville last Thursday.

Mrs. Esda Stephens and son Orville, of New Castle, Ind., are guests of E. C. Otwell and wife, West Main street.

The hearing for the appointment of a guardian for John McNutt has again been postponed on account of Mr. McNutt's health. It is now set for July 20.

Upon our roll of honor today we can place the following named patrons:

W. H. Hawkins.

W. I. Swartz.

Mrs. B. A. Bear.

Mrs. George H. Daniel.

The county commissioners last week granted the prayer of petitioners for the improvement of the Stillwater ditch. The improvement commences in Ansonia and runs east to within 1 1/2 miles of Beamsville, being about six miles in length. About eighteen hundred property owners will be taxed for this improvement.

Frank Studabaker, 16 years old, only son of Mrs. Ben Studabaker, died of tuberculosis on Tuesday night of last week in his mother's home on East Fifth street, after an illness of about a year and a half. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the residence, Rev. Gross reading the Episcopal burial service. Burial was made in Greenville cemetery.

Mrs. J. F. Butler of Cambridge, Md., better known as "Annie Oakley," the world's famous lady shot champion, visited old home friends in Greenville and the north part of Darke county last week. She was accompanied by her husband. Mrs. Butler was for many years with Buffalo Bill's Wild West, which exhibited here several years ago, and she has traveled all over the world giving exhibitions of her skill with the gun. Her parents formerly resided in Darke county, which we believe was the place of her birth, she now owning the old home farm.

Alma Grise, a young lady residing in Gettysburg, last week started a suit to recover \$450 from Dr. S. R. Patterson of Springfield, Ohio, which she alleges he obtained from her through misrepresentation and fraud as payment in advance for medical services. She says that when she learned she had been duped by him she demanded the return of a certificate of deposit for the above amount, but which he refused to restore to her, hence the suit. The certificate is in the hands of the bank at Gettysburg, and attachment proceedings have been issued to get possession of it.

John and Dan Ryan of Winona, Wis., are visiting relatives in Greenville.

Miss Frances Odlin of Dayton was the guest of friends in this city over the Fourth.

Harry Miller and wife and Miss Gladys Roland are enjoying an outing at Manitou Beach.

Aaron Kerst and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. Harrison Halley, in Dayton the past week.

Miss Florence Osborne of Columbus was the guest of Miss LaVerge Whitacre over the Fourth.

Miss May Dunbar of Crawfordsville, Ind., was the guest of Miss Ruth Witwer over the Fourth.

Miss Nina Bruce has returned to her home in Richmond, Ind., after a pleasant visit here with friends.

Will Mann, wife and daughter, of Battle Creek, Mich., are the guests of A. N. Wilson and family, Sycamore street.

Spencer Kuhn and family have returned to their home in Pittsburgh, Pa., after a pleasant visit here with relatives. They were accompanied home by Miss Anna Lee Mains of this city.

Robert H. Nixon, 69 years old, a resident of East Fifth street, died Monday noon of ptomaine poison, caused by eating fish he had purchased of a peddler. He was taken sick Saturday about midnight. His wife, two sons and three daughters survive him. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the M. E. church and burial made in Greenville cemetery.

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UNDESERVED GLORY.

Father Thought the Burglar He Taunted Was Young Mr. Staylate.

Mrs. Jimson was aroused from her slumbers by Mr. Jimson springing violently out of bed. Before she could say a word he had pulled on his dressing gown and slippers and had made for the door.

"What on earth are you going to do, Henry?" she asked.

"I'm going to jolly well put a stop to that young fellow staying here till all hours of the night. Listen to him now!"

"Henry, don't go; don't go!" whispered his wife hoarsely. But Henry was already halfway down the stairs. In another few minutes she heard the sounds of a frightful struggle going on. Glass crashed to the ground, and chairs were overturned. Then somebody dragged some one else to the front door, kicked him down the steps and slammed it to again.

Then Mr. Jimson, very much out of breath, but highly pleased with himself, once more entered the room.

"Oh, Henry, how brave you are!" murmured his wife admiringly.

"Why, how's that?"

"Oh, Henry, it was a real burglar at last!"

Henry turned pale.

"My word!" he said. "And I thought it was Mabel's young man!"—London Answers.

The New Message.

"Been away?"

"Yes."

"Much of a trip?"

"I should say so; forty-two post-cards!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Gettysburg.

Dr. Ballinger and Druggist Goodall of Versailles were here last week distributing programs of their Chautauqua.

The Fourth is now numbered among the things of the past, and as we view it, it seems to have been very similar to the occasions of other years. Our people never fail to do honor to the day in one way or another. The only question for all to consider is, do all ways resorted to honor the men who were instrumental in giving us the day? The writer has often been impressed that very many celebrants take little thought of the events leading up to the establishment of the day, and indulge a hoodlum manner for its celebration rather than one to impress a lesson of patriotism, and do honor to the worthy men who gave a popular government and established a rule of government by the people and for the people. We cannot avoid the conclusion that in that act our forefathers builded better than they knew, and while an experiment, it has ripened into a veritable fact and has given a pattern to other nations whereby to erect governments. Adopting all this as a fact a solemn duty has been imposed on us, to-wit, to maintain this priceless heritage and transmit it to unborn generations, not only in substance as given us, but to vastly improve it as the light of reason and justice may indicate real progress, and securing the rights of men. To do this in fullness should be our endeavor upon this day, yet we would not have this work done only on this day, but let it be done the year through, teaching by precept and example the necessary lessons, giving here a little and there a little as occasion may demand. Let the good of earth be emulated and a lofty example be exhibited that could well do real honor to our patriotic dead and insure a proper observance of our natal day. We have had a quiet Fourth here. Many of our people celebrated the day either at Covington or Greenville.

The Dunker people of the Harris Creek and Oakland churches met yesterday as one body in the latter church and had an all-day meeting, executing a very excellent program, one that enlisted the efforts of the young people, full of patriotism. Their manner of celebrating could well be adopted with good profit by all others.

Our M. E. church celebrated the day with an all-day meeting yesterday in their church, and the celebration of the Lord's sacrament, and a dinner served in the basement of the church. It seemed to have been well enjoyed and everybody satisfied and pleased. There were visitors present from Versailles, Horatio, Webster, and Pleasant Hill. A good social time was enjoyed by all, and having met the approval of so many, a like meeting may again come to our people at some other point of the circuit.

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Harvest has begun, but the weather is unfavorable and hinders the work a good deal. Very much of the wheat has been blown down by the recent winds visiting the neighborhood.

Ray Coburn and wife have returned to our vicinity and he has taken a clerkship in our meat market, which has or is about to change hands and a new push will be at the head of it.

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Miss Manchaser—You know the old adage "Love laughs at locksmiths?"
Mr. Grouchnore—Yep. Getting in is easy enough, but getting out is no joke.—Chicago News.

Uncle Joe is Re-Elected.
Danville, Ill., Nov. 4.—Indications are that former Speaker Cannon has carried the Eighteenth district by 2,500 over Frank O'Hair, Democratic incumbent.

McKinley Elected Again.
Chicago Nov. 4.—Returns from the Nineteenth district indicate the election of William B. McKinley, former chairman of the Republican national committee.

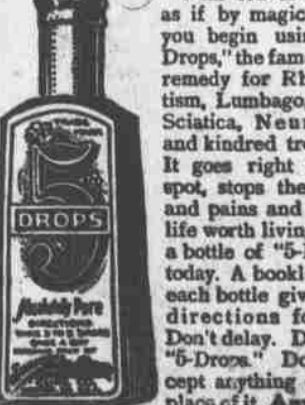
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